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Basic Contract for [REDACTED]

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1. [REDACTED] with main offices in Chicago, Illinois, and plant manufacturing facilities in [REDACTED] has successfully developed the [REDACTED] Perforator and Meyer for the military. A requirement exists for modifying this company proprietary item for Agency use and it is therefore requested that a basic contract be negotiated with [REDACTED]

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2. We are now preparing a Task Outline with which we will solicit a proposal for Research and Development by [REDACTED]. Should the proposal be acceptable this work would constitute Task Order 1 under the basic contract.

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3. In addition, there is under consideration the procurement of a limited number of [REDACTED] units for an operational requirement. These units would probably be purchased under an IG type contract. Although the [REDACTED] is UNCLASSIFIED, the foreign alphabet character wheels which are an accessory to the [REDACTED] are classified CONFIDENTIAL. The association the Agency has with the basic contract should be classified SECRET.

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